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New York, Columbia University, Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Plimpton MS 272

Description: ff. i + 255 + i - Rebound, 2008, by Alexis Hagadorn and Vasare Rastonis. Previously in half morocco over pasteboards, ca. 1830; on f. 255v, some remains of a binding in kermis-dyed leather. - On f. 244v, a partially trimmed ownership note (s. XVI ?), "Jocelyn ___?___ N___?___ne [?]; Fanny Hastings Plimpton (d. 1950). - De Ricci, p. 1803.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 13

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Language: Latin; French *Country:* England *Century:* 13th

Part 1: ff. 1-255v

Description: - Parchment - 116 x 75 mm - 23-28 long lines; quires 2-6 fully ruled in lead; quires 1 and 7-21 frame ruled.

Country: England

Region:

Assigned Date: s. XIII/XIV

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Script: Anglicana

Other Decoration: Major initials, 3- to 4-line, either in simple blue or green without decoration or in parted red and blue or green, sometimes with simple red penwork; major initials, 2- to 4-line, in green, red and blue; paragraph marks in red, and occasionally in green.

Number of Texts: 8

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1290 - 1310

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes: ;Several

Text 1: ff. 1-150v

Title: Statuta vetera

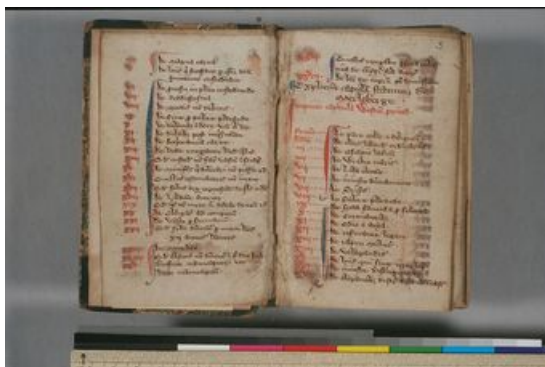
Language(s): Latin; French



Binding Front pastedown with "256" from a previous collection or sale.

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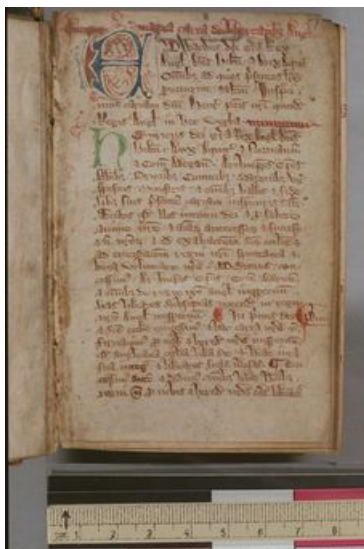
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ff. 2v-3 Chapter list.

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ff. 7 Opening leaf of text.

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ff. 22v-23 Chapters numbered in roman numerals in the outer margin of the verso; parted red and blue initial.

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ff. 73v-74 Parted red and green initial opening the statute of Westminster II.

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ff. 74v-75 Running headlines across the opening.

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ff. 75v-76 Running headlines across the opening.

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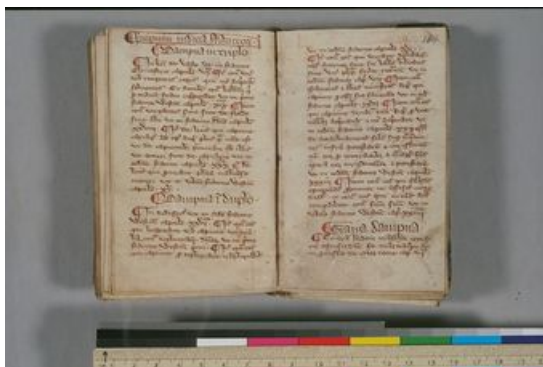
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ff. 126v-127 Catchword in the lower margin of the verso.

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ff. 143v-144 Opening of the "Iudicia statutorum."

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Text 2: ff. 151-179v

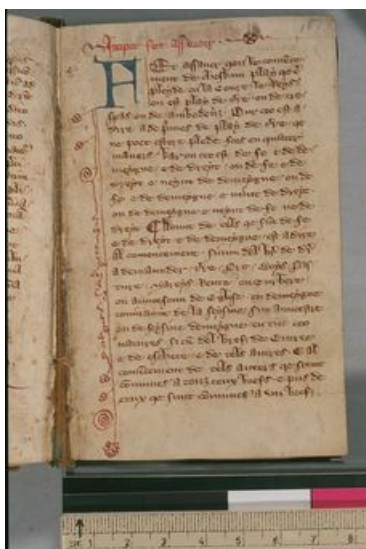
Title: Fet assaver

Title: Incipit fet assavoir

Language(s):

Incipit: Fet assaver qen le comencement de cheskun play qe est pleyde en la court le Reys

Explicit: si il ne ad resunable enchesoin pur quey il ne luy ad fet vener et cetera. Explicit fet assavoir.



f. 151 Four-line initial with pen work flourish.

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Text 3: ff. 180-216

Title: Magnum Hengham

Title: Incipit magnum Hengham

Language(s):

Incipit: Licet ordo placitandi in Curia domini Regis secundum legem et consuetudinem regni

Explicit: Regis Henrici patris Regis Edwardi. Sic peremptorie dicitur in actione actor.

Text 4: ff. 216v-228; f. 228v blank

Title: Summa Iudicium Essoniorum

Title: Incipit Summa Iudicium Essoniorum

Language(s):

Incipit: Primum capitulum de difficultate essoniorum circa viros et mulieres sive circa plures tenentes pro indiviso

Explicit: Et sic procedere debent ad alia placita iuxta eorum discrecionem. Explicit Summa Iudicium Essoniorum.

Text 5: ff. 229-244

Title: Parvum Hengham

Title: Incipit parvum hengham

Language(s):

Incipit: Notandum quod quinque sunt essonia, videlicet primum de ultra mare, secundum de terra sancta

Explicit: quam defenderet ille qui prius cassavit si compertus fuisset tenens et cetera. Explicit.

Text 6: f. 244v

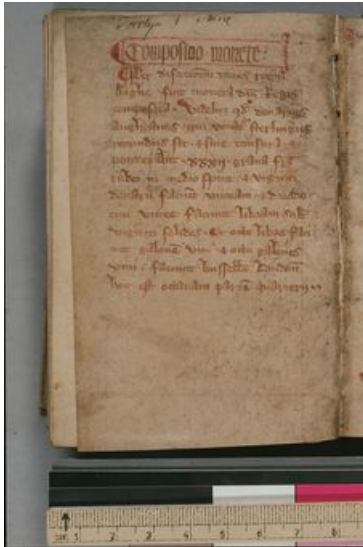
Title: Compositio monete

Title: Compositio monete

Language(s):

Incipit: Per discrecionem tocius regni Anglie fuit moneta domini Regis composita, videlicet quod denarius anglicanus qui vocatur sterlingus rotundus sit et sine tonsura et ponderabit xxxii grana

Explicit: Hoc est octavam partem quarterii.



f. 244v Ownership note in the upper margin.

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Text 7: f. 245r-v

Title: Dies communes in banco

Title: Incipiunt dies communes in banco

Language(s):

Incipit: Si breve venerit in octabis sancti michaelis tunc dabitur dies in octabis sancti hillarii

Explicit: Si in quindena Sancti Iohannis baptiste, in quindena sancti martini. Expliciunt dies communes in banco.

Text 8: f. 246r-v; ff. 247-255v blank

Title: Dies communes in placito dotis

Title: Incipiunt dies communes in placito dotis

Language(s):

Incipit: De termino sancti michaelis in placito dotis, de octabis sancti michaelis in crastino animarum

Explicit: In octabis sancti Iohannis baptiste, in mensem sancti michaelis et cetera. Expliciunt dies communes in banco de placito dotis.

Notes: On f. 254v, a list of ordinal numbers in French (Pryme, seconde, tierce . . . millisme, millers et cetera, ii millers et cetera); on f. 255, the former pastedown, pentrials in the form of proverbs: Annulus hic digito bene convenit auro; Omnibus est notum quod flore diliget potum; Omnibus omnia non mea sompnia dicere possum.



ff. 254v-255 Ordinal numbers in French; proverbs as pen trials.

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f. 255v Price (?) noted in upper margin, "Liber [?] constat iii __?__"; evidence of kermis-dyed turn-ins from previous binding.

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